

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION - DETROIT

FOR COURT USE ONLY

IN THE MATTER OF:

James G. Sofios

S.S.# xxx-xx-8249
and

S.S.# _____ Debtor(s)
_____/

CASE NO. 09-69710-WS
CHAPTER 13

CHAPTER 13 PLAN

[X] Original **OR** [] Modification # _____ [] pre-confirmation **OR** [] post-confirmation

I. PLAN PAYMENTS & DISBURSEMENTS

This is the debtor's(s) latest Chapter 13 Plan. The following Classes of claims are established for payment from funds available by the Trustee except those identified as "direct payments" as indicated herein.

- A. The debtor shall make payments in the amount of \$2,270.17 monthly for 60 months (frequency).
- B. Plan length: 60 months, commencing on the date of entry of the Order Confirming Plan, which shall also be the effective date of the Plan. The Trustee is hereby authorized to automatically adjust the Plan length an additional six (6) months to accomplish the purposes of this Plan, but in no event shall this Plan last more than five years.
- C. Debtor commits 100% of all **future** tax refunds received or entitled to after commencement of the case, and shall not alter any withholding deductions/exemptions without Court approval.
- D. Treatment of claims
 - 1. **Class One - Administrative Expenses**
 - a. *Trustee fees* as determined by statute.
 - b. ***Adequate Protection payments:*** Secured creditors in Class 5a. shall receive pre-confirmation adequate protection payments at thirty percent (30%) of the monthly amount designated therein directly from the Trustee pursuant to L.B.R. 4001-7 (E.D.M.).
 - c. ***Attorney fees and costs:*** To be determined by fee application.
For 35 days following the entry of the Order Confirming Plan, the Trustee shall hold from distribution the sum of **\$4,000.00** as a fund for the payment of the attorney fees and costs that shall be determined by the court pursuant to 11 U.S.C. §330 and L.B.R. 2016-2 (E.D.M.). If no application has been served and filed within this 35 day period, the reserved funds will be released for distribution to creditors.
 - 2. **Class Two - Continuing Claims:** Those secured claims on which the last payment is due beyond the length of the Plan [11 U.S.C. §1322(b)(5)]. To the extent such claims are non-modifiable pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 1322(b)(2), the Trustee shall adjust the monthly payment to such creditors upon compliance by the creditor with L.B.R. 3015-1(a)(9)(E.D.M.) and the debtor shall increase Plan payments as needed for such compliance.

a. Post-Confirmation

<u>Creditor/Collateral</u>	<u>Monthly Payments</u>
Citimortgage Location: 45449 N. Stonewood Rd., Canton, MI 48187	1,446.43
Lakes of the North Association Lot of vacant land, Lakes of the North, Mancelona, MI 49659	\$160 (Annually) *Direct by Debtor* Debtor is current
Traditions at Cambridge Location: 45449 N. Stonewood Rd., Canton, MI 48187	175.00 *Direct by Debtor* Debtor is current

b. Post-Petition/Pre-Confirmation Arrears- (TO BE PAID IN FIRST 12 MONTHS):

<u>Creditor/Collateral</u>	<u>Arrears Amount</u>	<u>Interest Rate</u>	<u>Time to Cure</u>
-NONE-			

3. Class Three - Executory Contracts and/or Unexpired Leases [11 U.S.C. §1322(b)(7) and 11 U.S.C. §365]

a. Continuing, Post-Petition Obligations:

<u>Creditor/Collateral</u>	<u>Assume/ Reject/ Assign?</u>	<u>If assumed, regular payment per month</u>	<u>Lease/Contract expiration date</u>
-NONE-			

b. Pre-Petition Obligations:

<u>Creditor/Collateral</u>	<u>If assumed, amount of Default</u>	<u>If assumed, number of months to cure from confirmation date + interest rate</u>	<u>If assumed, monthly payment on cure</u>
-NONE-			

4. Class Four - Arrearage on Continuing Claims [11 U.S.C. §1322(b)(5)]

Pre-Petition Arrears:

<u>Creditor/Collateral</u>	<u>Arrears Amount</u>	<u>Interest Rate</u>	<u>Number of months to cure from confirmation date</u>
-NONE-			

5a. **Class Five a. - Purchase Money Security Interests In Personal Property** Secured claims other than those listed in Classes Two, Four and Five b. on which the last payment will become due within the Plan duration.

<u>Creditor/Collateral</u>	<u>"Crammed down" [11 U.S.C. 1325(a)(5)] or modified [11 U.S.C. 1322(b)(2)] Indicate Which</u>	<u>Market Value</u>	<u>Interest Rate</u>	<u>Equal Monthly Payment (Incl. Interest)</u>	<u>Total to Pay (Incl. Interest)</u>	<u>Number of months from confirmation date</u>
Parkside Credit Union 1970 Chevelle Location: 45449 N. Stonewood, Canton MI	Modified	15,000.00	5.25%	214.64	12,878.04	60

5b. Class Five b. - Other Secured Claims

<u>Creditor/Collateral</u>	<u>Indicate Which</u>	<u>Market</u> <u>Value</u>	<u>Interest</u> <u>Rate</u>	<u>Monthly</u> <u>Payment</u> <u>(Incl.</u> <u>Interest)</u>	<u>Total to Pay</u> <u>(Incl.</u> <u>Interest)</u>	<u>Number of</u> <u>months from</u> <u>confirmation</u> <u>date</u>
				<u>Interest)</u>	<u>Interest)</u>	
Flagstar Bank Location: 45449 N. Stonewood Rd., Canton, MI 48187	"Crammed down" [11 U.S.C. 1325(a)(5)] or modified [11 U.S.C. 1322(b)(2)] The value of the collateral for this secured creditor does not support its claim. It shall be treated as an unsecured debt in its entirety. It will be stripped of its lien upon discharge.	160,000.00	0%	0.00	0.00	0

6. Class Six - Priority Unsecured Claims [11 U.S.C. §1322(a)(2)]

a. Non-Assigned Domestic Support Obligations [11 U.S.C. §1322(a)(2)]

<u>Creditor</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Interest Rate</u>	
Wayne County Friend of Court	0.00	0%	Direct payment by the Debtor via circuit court order as Debtor is current.

b. Assigned Domestic Support Obligations [11 U.S.C. §1322(a)(4)]

<u>Creditor</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Interest Rate</u>
-None-		

c. All Other Priority Unsecured Claims [11 U.S.C. §1322(a)(2)]

<u>Creditor</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Interest Rate</u>
-None-		

7. Class Seven - Special Unsecured Claims shall be paid in full and concurrently with Class Eight General Unsecured Claims.

<u>Creditor</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Interest</u> <u>Rate</u>	<u>Reason for Special Treatment</u>
-NONE-			

8. Class Eight - General Unsecured Claims shall be paid **\$24,782.36 pro rata. This Plan shall provide either the **amount** stated or shall continue for the length stated, whichever will offer the greater dividend to general unsecured creditors in this class.**

9. Other Provisions: Insert as necessary

II. GENERAL PROVISIONS

A. THIS PLAN FOLLOWS THE TRUSTEE'S PLAN IN ALL RESPECTS, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF: I.A., 1.B. & 2.b. & I.D.4. & I.D.5.. & I.D.6. & I.D.8. & II.B. & II.F.1. & II.I. & II.M.

B. VESTING, POSSESSION OF ESTATE PROPERTY AND LIEN RETENTION: Upon confirmation of the Plan, all property of the estate shall **not vest in the debtor [11 U.S.C. §1327(b)] **but shall remain property of the estate**. The debtor shall remain in possession of all property of the estate during the pendency of this case unless**

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specifically provided herein [11 U.S.C. §1306(b)]. All secured creditors shall retain the liens securing their claims **subject to the avoidance powers of the Debtor granted herein and provided the Debtor retains possession of the collateral and** unless otherwise stated. Debtor shall have standing to commence turnover actions under 11 U.S.C. §542, to assert strong-arm powers under 11 U.S.C. §544, to avoid statutory liens under 11 U.S.C. §545, to recover preferences under 11 U.S.C. §547 and/or to avoid fraudulent conveyances under 11 U.S.C. §548, and/or to sell the estate's interest and interest of any co-owner pursuant to 11 U.S.C. §363(h) and in furtherance thereof commence adversary proceedings.

- C. **SURRENDER OR ABANDONMENT OF COLLATERAL:** Upon confirmation the automatic stay is lifted as to any collateral treated as surrendered or abandoned.
- D. **PROHIBITION AGAINST INCURRING POST-PETITION DEBT:** While this case is pending, the debtor shall not incur a debt in excess of \$1,000.00 without first obtaining approval from the Court.
- E. **UNSCHEDULED CREDITORS FILING CLAIMS:** If a pre- or post-petition creditor is not listed in the Chapter 13 Schedules, but files a proof of claim, the Trustee is authorized to classify the claim into one of the existing classes under this Plan and to schedule the claim for payment within that class.
- F. **PROOFS OF CLAIMS FILED AT VARIANCE WITH THE PLAN:** In the event that a creditor files a proof of claim that is at variance with the provisions of this Plan, the following method is to be employed to resolve the conflict:
1. Regarding claims for which the Plan does not propose a "cramdown" or modification, the proof of claim shall supersede the Plan as to the claim amount, ~~percentage rate of interest~~, monthly payments, classification of the claim, ~~percentage of interest on arrears~~, if any, but the proof of claim shall not govern as to the valuation of collateral, **percentage rate of interest and percentage of interest on arrears, if any.**
 2. As to claims for which the Plan proposes a "cramdown" or modification, the proof of claim governs only as to the claim amount, but not with respect to any of the other aforementioned contractual terms.
 3. If a holder of a claim files a proof of claim at variance with this Plan or related schedules, the Trustee shall automatically treat that claim as the holder indicated, unless provided otherwise by order of the Court.
 4. A proof of claim or interest shall be deemed filed under 11 U.S.C. §501 for any claim or interest that appears in Classes Two, Three, Four or Five of this plan, except a claim or interest that is disputed, contingent or non-liquidated and labeled as such in this plan. **Notwithstanding the above, as to any secured claim specified in Class 5(b) for which the Plan proposes to "strip" the lien and treat the claim as wholly unsecured pursuant to 11 U.S.C. §506 and 11 U.S.C. §1322, entry of the Order Confirming Plan shall control the classification of any Proof of Claim filed regarding the claim for which the lien is being stripped and such proof of claim will be classified as a Class 8 unsecured claim, but the Proof of Claim shall control as to the amount of the allowed Class 8 unsecured claim. Upon entry of a discharge, the creditor whose lien is "stripped", shall at its own cost and expense, execute and deliver to Debtor a satisfaction or release of the lien, in recordable form. Debtor shall be responsible for and shall bear any cost associated with the recording of that satisfaction or release in the applicable public records.**

NOTE: Debtor reserves the right to object to any claim.

- G. **TAX RETURNS AND TAX SET-OFFS:** All tax returns which have become due prior to the filing of this Plan have been filed except the following (see L.B.R. 2083-1(E.D.M.) regarding non-filed returns):
-NONE-
- H. **DEBTOR ENGAGED IN BUSINESS:** [☐] If the box to the immediate left is "checked", the debtor is self-employed **AND** incurs trade credit in the production of income from such employment.
1. 11 U.S.C. §1304(b) and (c) regarding operation of the business and duties imposed upon the debtor are incorporated herein by reference.
 2. The debtor shall comply with the provisions of L.B.R. 3015-1(a)(8) and 2003-2(a)(b) (E.D.M.) unless the Court orders otherwise.

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- I. **ORDER OF PAYMENT OF CLAIMS:** Class One claims shall be paid in advance of others, then Classes Two(a) Three and Five(a) concurrently in advance of all remaining classes, then Classes Two(b), then Classes Four and Five(b), then Class Six, and then Classes Seven and Eight shall be paid as stated in each respective section. [LBR 3015-1(a)(5) (E.D.M.)]
- J. **WORKSHEET:** The worksheet on a form available from the clerk's office, is required by L.B.R. 3015-1(b)(2) (E.D.M.). It is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.
- K. **CONFLICT OF DEBT AMORTIZATION:** If the amortization figures conflict with respect to those stated in Class 2b, Class 3, Classes 4 Class 5, the time to cure shall be paramount, and the Trustee shall make alterations to implement this statement.
- L. **DEBTOR DUTY TO MAINTAIN INSURANCE:** Debtor shall maintain all insurance required by law and contract upon property of the estate and the debtor's property. After confirmation of this Plan, if the debtor fails to maintain full coverage collateral protection insurance as required above, any party in interest may submit an affidavit of default and in the event that the default is not cured within ten (10) days from the date of service of the affidavit upon the debtor, debtor's counsel and the Trustee, said party may submit an Order Granting Relief from the Automatic Stay as to the collateral to the Court along with a further affidavit attesting to the debtor's failure to cure. Said Order shall be granted without motion or hearing.
- M. **ENTRY OF ORDERS LIFTING STAY:** Upon entry of Order Lifting Stay, no distributions shall be made to the secured creditor until such time as an amended claim is filed by such creditor. **An amended proof of claim shall be filed in accordance with L.B.R. 3002-1 (E.D.M.) and within ninety (90) days from the date the creditor obtains possession of the collateral or leased property. A secured creditor who obtains relief from stay shall no longer have a secured claim.**

N. LIQUIDATION ANALYSIS AND STATEMENT OF VALUE OF ENCUMBERED PROPERTY [LBR 3015-1(b)(1)]:

TYPE OF PROPERTY	FAIR MARKET VALUE	LIENS	DEBTOR'S SHARE OF EQUITY*	EXEMPT AMOUNT	NON-EXEMPT AMOUNT
PERSONAL RESIDENCE	161,000.00	238,817.80	986.66	986.66	0.00
VEHICLES	19,050.00	12,249.99	6,800.01	6,800.01	0.00
HHG/PERSONAL EFFECTS	10,700.00	0.00	5,700.00	5,700.00	0.00
JEWELRY	1,000.00	0.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	0.00
CASH/BANK ACCOUNTS	225.00	0.00	225.00	225.00	0.00
OTHER	9,000.00	0.00	9,000.00	9,000.00	0.00

*Debtor has partial interest in 1 property. "Debtor's Share of Equity" column has been adjusted accordingly.

Amount available upon liquidation	\$	0.00
Less administrative expenses and costs.....	\$	0.00
Less priority claims	\$	0.00
Amount Available in Chapter 7	\$	0.00

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Debtor

Joint Debtor

October 9, 2009

Date

WORKSHEET

1. Length of Plan is _____ weeks; 60 months; _____ years.

Debtor #1:

2. \$ 2,270.17 per pay period x ^(Monthly)60 pay periods per Plan = \$ 136,210.80 total per Plan

Debtor #2:

\$ _____ per pay period x ^()_____ pay periods per Plan = \$ _____ total per Plan

3. \$ _____ per period x _____ periods in Plan = _____

4. Lump Sums: _____ 0.00

5. Equals total to be paid into the Plan _____ 136,210.20

6. Estimated trustee's fees _____ 7,764.00

7. Attorney fees and costs _____ 4,000.00 (for purposes of determining feasibility only)

8. Total priority claims _____ 0.00

9. Total installment mortgage or other long-term debt payments _____ 86,785.80

10. Total of arrearage including interest _____ 0.00

11. Total secured claims, including interest _____ 12,878.04

Total of items 6 through 11 \$ _____ 111,427.84

12. Funds available for unsecured creditors (item 5 minus item 11) \$ _____ 24,782.36

13. Total unsecured claims (if all file) \$ _____ 112,143.40

14. Estimated percentage to unsecured creditors under Plan (item 12 divided by item 13) _____ 22 %

15. Estimated dividend to general unsecured creditors if Chapter 7, (see liquidation analysis attached) \$ _____ 0.00

COMMENTS: